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MAY ESTABLISH BRIQUET PLANT IN MIDDLESBORO

L. C. Gunter Heads New Compressed Coal Co. of Savannah

HAS MINES HERE

Entire Output Gunter Mines to Go to Manufacture New Product, Competitor of Anthracite Coal

The acceptance by L. C. Gunter, prominent Southern Appalachian coal operator, of the presidency of the Compressed Coal Company of Savannah, Ga., has special meaning for Middlesboro as it is understood that Mr. Gunter means to have a plant of this company established here in the near future. Mr. Gunter has three mines in this immediate section, Atlas, Pinnacle and Crystal, and their entire output will be used by the Compressed Coal Company in which Mr. Gunter has made heavy investments.

The manufacture of briquettes is the chief business of this company. This product, made by compressing bituminous coal at a high temperature, is sold in competition with anthracite coal. It is a smokeless fuel, sells at a lower price than anthracite coal and is understood to compete favorably with it for all domestic use.

The plant intended for this section will probably be in the edge of Middlesboro, in easy access to Mr. Gunter's mines, all three of which are in Stony Fork Hollow. The size of it will depend upon the success with which the sale of briquettes meets. Byproducts of bituminous coal will probably also be developed at this place.

Mr. Gunter, whose home has been in Knoxville for several years, has been prominent in coal circles in this section for some time and had been, the past two years, president of the Southern Coal Operators' Association. His holdings around Middlesboro have frequently brought him here. He will move to Savannah soon to take up his work there.

He is to be associated with James Imbrie, of New York, in the manufacture of coal briquettes as fuel. The Savannah plant will also make gasoline, refining it from crude oil. The residue will be used as a binder for the briquettes.

It is understood that a concern in Canada has already contracted for the entire briquettes output. The Compressed Coal company has been chartered in W. Virginia with a capital of $1,000,000 in eight per cent bonds and 1,000 shares or no par value common stock. Business men of Savannah are expected to invest about $200,000 in this and allied interests of Messers Gunter and Imbrie.

HUNDREDS DIE IN CHINESE FIRE

Shantung Town Burns Friday—300 Perish, 700 Others Are Injured

By Associated Press.

TSINGTO, China, Mar. 4.—Three hundred persons burned to death, suffocated or died in panics as the result of a fire which swept the town of Chowtsun in Shangtung providence last Friday. Seven hundred others were injured.

SENATOR MOSS' BILL OPPOSES QUICK MARRIAGES

Senator White L. Moss has introduced a bill in the State Senate to regulate issuance of marriage licenses. Among other things, the bill provides that applicants for marriage license must make their wishes known to the County Court Clerk five days previous to the time the license is to be issued. The clerk must post in a conspicuous place such application. The bill provides that in certain emergencies the County Judge may grant an order for immediate marriage without the necessary posting of the application. Cities along the border of the state, Louisville, for instance, are raising a complaint against the bill, claiming that a large portion of the licenses are for persons living across the boundary line, and that the Moss bill would not only close the door to such marriages, but force thousands of couples to leave the state to secure marriage licenses.

EARTH SHOCKS IN COSTA RICA

Half Buildings Damaged, Many Casualties—Americans Uninjured

Associated Press

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, Mar. 4.—A series of earth shocks, the strongest felt here in 25 years, damaged fully half the buildings here and caused a number of casualties. Part of the American legation building collapsed, but the American minister and consul and their families escaped uninjured.

M. H. ZAUBER NEW EXALTED RULER OF LOCAL B. P. O. E.

M. H. Zauber was elected Exhalted Ruler of the Elks last night at the annual election of officers. Other officers elected are as follows: A. W. Altman, Leading Knight; R. B. Hatfield, Royal Knight; J. R. Haslitt, Lecturing Knight; Earnest Warren, secretary; Ike Ginsburg, treasurer; G. W. Day, tiler and A. W. Rhorer, trustee.

CITY MAY PAY FOR STREETS BY BONDS

Property Owners Could Pay City by Payments Extending Ten Years

A number of streets included in the resolutions recently passed by the city commissioners may be improved on the ten-year payment plan, city officials announced today.

By this plan, bonds will be floated to pay the construction company immediately for the work. Property owners may extend their payments to the city over a period of ten years, with interest on the unpaid principal at the rate of six per cent.

This plan was discussed by the city commissioners yesterday afternoon, who met for the purpose of investigating the status of street building. Not all of the streets yet to be built will come under the long payment plan, they say. Only those streets whose abutting property will make a sound investment for bond-holders may be paid for in this manner.

The plan will be a boon to property owners who do not have the ready cash to pay for the work as soon as it is completed. Many persons who have heretofore objected to street improvements mainly because immediate payment would work a hardship, will welcome street construction now.

If the plan is found to be feasible in every way provisions for it will be incorporated in the ordinances for the street construction.

FATHER OF SIEGLE BOYS KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Harry and Jack Siegle were called to Cincinnati Sunday afternoon by the death of their father, Ben Siegle, there. According to the reports he was killed in an automobile accident. The Cincinnati Bargain store of which Harry Siegle is manager and Jack Siegle a clerk has been closed since yesterday on account of the tragic occurence.

CLEANING UP LAWN OF L. AND N. PASSENGER DEPOT

A crew of men started work of cleaning up the lawn of the L. and N. property near the passenger depot yesterday. The dead grass is being removed as is also all the papers and other waste matter which has been thrown on the grounds. The appearance of the grounds is being greatly improved by the extra work.

LAST CHURCH GAME TONIGHT

Baptists Meet Cherlelana, Pineville Baptists to Play Presbyterians

The Inter-Church Basketball League season will be finished tonight when a fast doubleheader will be played. In the first game the Baptist team meets the Christian team. These two teams are practically in a tie for second place and this game will play an important part in the league standing. Coach Johnson of Pineville high school will referee this game.

In the other contest the Pineville Baptists meet the Presbyterians. These are both strong teams and a close game is expected. Coach Kilpatrick will referee this game. This will be the last opportunity for local basketball fans to see a game and a large crowd is expected.

A Prince in Slings

The Prince of Wales is photographed above on his first appearance following a recent fall from a horse and a resultant broken collar bone. He is greeting players before a football match near London.

"Steve White" Tires of Life of Millionaire, Returns to Home At Bell County Poor Farm

The vagaries of the human mind are always inexplicable, though why an heir to millions should prefer to live at a poor farm is almost too much for the average person to grasp. That, however, is the situation for Middlesboro's heir to millions, Steve White, who disappeared from here last week and turned up at the Bell County poor farm night before last after an extensive tramp through the mountains roundabout here.

That Steve was delighted to get back to the poor farm, however, was very evident. He had several friends there to whom he was quite attached and there were two or three dogs there who had paid him the tribute of a dog's homage, than which there is none greater. All of these friends welcomed him back, showing him that they didn't intend to let a change in fortunes make any difference in their attitude toward him.

Steve left Middlesboro the latter part of last week and walked over to Chenoa where his old friend, McCorkle is located. After a short visit there he walked on across the mountains to Fonde, evidently just for the trip. He then came back across the mountains to Pineville and straight for the county poor farm which he reached Sunday night and where he immediately took up his dwelling again after an absence of a month or so.

All of this time the million dollar estate is evidently lying untouched. John Howard, Steve's attorney, will go to Louisville tonight to look further into the matter and to confer with Steve's nephew on the settlement of it. Mr. Howard says there is no doubt in his mind of Steve's identity and of the existence of a large estate.

Whether the heir to this great estate, after it is delivered into his hands will still persist in keeping his residence at the county farm, is still a problem. Needless to say, 99.99 per cent of the county's other citizens know how they could help him put it to good use.

WILL ADHERE TO MELLON TAX PLAN

Coolidge Makes Clean Trend Which Compromise Bill Will Take

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—Adherence to the principles and provisions of the Mellon tax plan were reaffirmed today by President Coolidge. This was made clear at the White House in answer to inquiries about the compromise bill passed by the House.

POLICE KNOW WHO BOYS WERE THAT ROBBED JUNCTION STORE

The police department is in possession of information concerning the identity of the persons who robbed the store of L. B. White at the Junction a few nights ago. Three are said to be implicated, all boys about sixteen years of age.

The boys left town when the officers struck their trail and may not be easily apprehended. Efforts will be made to procure an indictment against them at the coming session of the Bell county grand jury.

KENTUCKY'S FORMER FIRST LADY AS STENOGRAPHER

CHICAGO, Mar. 4.—Mrs. Edwin P. Morrow was lonesome in a large northern city. She had always lived in small Kentucky cities. So she asked her husband for a job—and he gave her one.

Today the wife of the newest member of the United States railroad labor board was filing papers and pounding a typewriter in his office. She was utilizing a course in a business college she pursued in order to aid her husband in his campaign. He was recently republican governor of Kentucky.

Mrs. Morrow thinks she will only act as amanuensis until her son and daughter join her, the one after a visit to the American minister's family in Panama, the other from Centre college, where he was on the Fighting Colonels' freshman football team.

SHIPPING BOARD TO BE PROBED NOW

House Turns Investigating Attention in New Direction—Committee Named

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—The House today authorized a sweeping investigation of the Shipping Board by a special committee of four Republicans and three Democrats.

SENATORS DEFEAT YOUNG'S NEWSPAPER LIBEL LAW

FRANKFORT, March 4.—Senator Allie W. Young's bill to repeal the retraction clauses of the newspaper libel law was defeated by a vote of 28 to 9 in the senate yesterday. Senators Young and Stephenson spoke for the bill while Senators McElroy and White opposed it.

The bill would repeal that section of the law which makes it possible for a newspaper by retracting an alleged incorrect statement to relieve itself of the liability of punitive damages. It was held that the bill would be especially dangerous to small newspapers.

EPISCOPAL AND CATHOLIC OBSERVANCE ASH WEDNESDAY

St. Mary's Episcopal church and St. Julian's Catholic church will both hold services tomorrow celebrating Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent. The Episcopal service will be at 3 p. m., and the Catholic at 7:30 p. m. These are the only two churches in town which keep a strict observance of Lent.

TO CONSIDER BOND ISSUE BILL FRIDAY

Administration's Road and Bond Measures Among First To Be Posted

By Associated Press.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Mar. 4.—The administration's road and bond issue bills were among the first ready to be posted for consideration in the Senate Friday.

HEROIC HIKE MAY SAVE BOY'S LIFE

Party of Twenty Walk 23 Miles Over Mountain to Bring Wounded Boy to Hospital

HARLAN, Mar. 4.—Hiram Miniard was brought to the Harlan hospital yesterday morning from Greasy Creek, in Leslie county, suffering from a gun shot wound in the abdomen. It is charged that the shooting by Marion Miniard, a cousin of the wounded, was willful, but the offender claims that he meant no harm and that it was accidental.

About 3:30 in the afternoon, Hiram Miniard was found lying with a bullet wound in his abdomen, on the front porch of his home, by some friends, who heard the shot but did not pay any attention to it until they heard his cries for help. He was taken to the Pine Settlement school, where the nurse in charge, gave him first aid treatment. It was found necessary to take him immediately to Harlan, as his life was in danger. Several men got together hastily and constructed a rough stretcher. By 9:30 in the evening, a party of 20 men were ready to start on their journey across Pine mountain, in an effort to save the life of the wounded boy. Young Miniard, although only a boy 15 years of age, weighed 180 pounds. The 20 volunteers took turns, four at a time, carrying the boy all through the night, across the mountain, wading through mud, ice and snow, covering a distance of about 23 miles, until they reached Baxter at about 5:30 this morning where they were met by the ambulance from the Harlan hospital.

The men stopped but once during the entire trip, for a rest of about 20 minutes, in order to warm a little water.

Rushed in the ambulance to the hospital, the boy was immediately operated on by Dr. Cawood, who found that the bullet had passed about midway through the abdomen perforating the intestines in many places. He is resting very easily and has a splendid chance to recover. If not for the unselfish and, upstinted assistance of the Pine mountain people it is very doubtful whether Hiram Miniard would have recovered.

Louisville Live Stock

Cattle, 200, slow, unchanged; hogs, 700, 15c higher, tops, $7.50; sheep, 60, steady unchanged.

BIG EARNINGS FOR FORD'S RAILROAD

Toledo and Ironton Triples Income of Year Ago—Expect 7 Million This Year

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Mar. 4.—Henry Ford's Toledo and Ironton railroad earned three hundred per cent more in January than in the same month the year before when earnings were $69,300. At this rate it is estimated the earnings this year will be close to seven million on the investment of five million three and a half years ago.

UTILITIES COMPANIES REMOVE TREES BY SIDEWALK

Trees along the sidewalks of Twenty-first street from Chester to Exeter avenue are being removed by the public utilities companies and the property owners. The upper limbs which come in contact with the electric and telephone wires are being cut down by K. U. telephone company employes.

Property owners, it is understood, will remove the trunks after they have been cleared of branches. The roots of the trees, growing under the sidewalks, have pushed up the concrete walks in places, causing uneven places and breaking them. It is for the protection to the sidewalks that the property owners will have them removed.

The trees are old and some of them rotten, a condition which makes a real menace in strong winds. In removing the large branches, great care is being used lest some of them fall on nearby houses.

W. E. GUNN MINE LOST ONLY TWO DAYS PAST MONTH

W. E. Gunn reports that his mine is running full time and has lost only two days during the past month. The coal business in general should be greatly improved within a short time when annual contracts are signed, he says.

SENATOR WALSH TELLS OF EFFORT MADE BY DOHENY TO BRING HIM INTO OIL TRANSACTIONS

Telegrams Interchanged Read Into Committee's Records

BURNS TESTIFIES

Says McLean Wire in Secret Service Code, Editor Was On Department's Roll As Agent

Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—Senator Walsh, Democrat of Montana, chief prosecutor in the oil inquiry, refused in December to enter into any oil transactions with E. L. Doheny. It might be "squeamishness on my part," he told Doheny, but he could not appear to use his official position for profit. Walsh said the purpose of negotiations apparently was to hamper work of the oil committee.

Walsh read telegrams into the record showing a correspondence between Walsh and Doheny that took place before Doheny revealed he had loaned $100,000 to A. B. Fall, but after the senate inquiry into the Sinclair and Doheny leases had begun. In reading the messages into the record Walsh said efforts were made to discover something that might be used feloniously or otherwise against me." He said that end would be served if it could be whispered about there had been an exchange of telegrams between Dohny and himself.

This revelation was but one of a series of bomb explosions in the oil inquiry today. William J. Burns, chief of the department of justice secret agents, told the committee Edward B. McLean, Washington publisher and a central figure in the oil scandal, had been carried on the government rolls as a secret agent and that the telegrams sent to him and his employes in Florida were in cipher as used by the department. Mrs. Mary Ducksteen, formerly Burn's secretary, also confirmed Burns' statement. She also said the famous "Mary" code message she sent to Florida, intended to inform McLean of his connection with the department under investigation, were sent at Burns' instigation with the hope McLean would resign and not embarass Attorney General Daugherty by remaining as an agent. Burns testified McLean was made special agent because the department obtained through him and his newspaper information. McLean's salary was a dollar a year.

Miner's Foot Is Crushed

John Lawson, miner at Yellow Creek sustained a crushed foot while at work there this morning. He was brought to the Brosheer-Brummett hospital soon afterwards where medical aid was given.

MAKE MOONSHINE LIQUOR OUT OF LYE AND CARBIDE

You have heard of the kind of liquor that will make a rabbit fight a bulldog and a timid young man get up nerve sufficiently to lick his mother-in-law.

A few days ago a native of the Kentucky hills came into a coal company's commissary on one of our creeks and bought the following supplies: Two wash tubs, 100 lbs. sugar, eight bushels of meal, four one-pound balls of lye, and four pounds of carbide.

Such is the stuff that the present day "mountain-dew" is made from, which accounts for a good part of the crime in Perry county.—Hazard Leader.

SEEK LEGISLATORS IN VETS ABUSES

Prompt Prosecution Promised—Names to Be Handed President Coolidge

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—Senator Reed, chairman of the special Senate Veterans' Committee, announced today in relation to the indictment of C. B. Forbes and J. W. Thompson at Chicago, that if information is furnished the committee concerning two congressmen, it will call for prompt prosecution. It is understood the names of the congressmen will be given to President Coolidge.

Evidence that two members of congress improperly accepted money, was laid before the Chicago grand jury.

The special report of the grand jury announced that other sensational developments involving alleged graft had been developed before it in the course of the inquiry which led to the indictment of Forbes.

The jury stated that the developments included speculation by one or more officials of the government, involving the use of official information, the payment of certain sums of money to two members of congress and that money was collected by certain persons, not attorneys, for obtaining permits for the intoxicating liquor.

The jury also said it had information indicating that the files of one department were turned over to persons having no official connection with the department and that money wa saccepted by persons who were not attorneys, to obtain clemiency for prisoners, these persons basing their offorts upon their intimancy with officials.

IMPROVEMENT ON FERN LAKE ROAD PROMISED

Plans for the improvement of Balmoral road, sometimes known as Fern Lake road, in connection with property owners of the vicinity are being considered by city officials.

It is understood that work will begin this week to make the road passable and that more permanent repairs will be made by using some of the slag taken up from Exeter avenue when that street is improved.

The road which connects a large residential and mining section with the remainder of the city has been impassable for automobiles for several weeks.

CASE ALEX DAWSON TO JURY TODAY

Fourmile Case Up This Week—Three Other Murder Trials Scheduled This Session

The trial of Alex Dawson for the murder of Lige Hoskins at Fourmile about a year ago has been held yesterday and today at Bell Circuit Court in Pineville. It was argued this afternoon and will probably be in the hands of the jury by evening. Dawson and Hoskins are said to have fallen out over a game of cards and the killing resulted.

Three murder cases are scheduled for this term of criminal court. The first is the case of Harvey Miracle for killing a man named Mosser at Fourmile. The next is that of Milt Gibson held for killing a boy at Chenoa some time ago. The other is the case of Shelvie Lankford held for killing Caleb Powers at Chenoa.

COOLIDGE SEEKS DENBY SUCCESSOR

Wants Outstanding Industrial Leader or Prominent Engineer for Post

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—President Coolidge is searching for a seasoned executive to succeed Edwin Denby as secretary of the navy but thus far he has reached no decision. He hopes to find an outstanding industrial or commercial leader or possibly a prominent engineer to take his post.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY FOR ARTHUR, TENNESSEE, MAN

John Wesley Owens, age 61, well known resident of Claiborne county, died at his home at Arthur, Tenn. Saturday. The deceased is survived by his wife and a number of children. Funeral services which were conducted yesterday afternoon, were attended by a large crowd among which was a number of Southern Railway company officials. Mr. Owens was connected with the Southern for many years. Interment was at the Cottrell cemetery at Harrogate.

Mattie Sims, Colored, Dies

Mattie Sims, colored age 50, died at her home on Fifteenth street at 11:20 last night following an attack of flu. She is survived by her husband, Tom Sims, a son and two daughters. Funeral services will be conducted at the colored Baptist church Thursday and interment in the Lynch [illegible]

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A Thought

But he that did his neighbor wrong thrust him away, saying, Who made thee a ruler and a judge?—Acts 7:27.

It is vain to trust in wrong; it is like erecting a building upon a frail foundation, and which will directly be sure to topple over.—Hosea Ballou.

ON RESTRICTION OF IMMIGRATION

The following letter in regard to restricted immigration is from C. M. Goethe, president of the Eugenics Educational Association of the nation:

"Apropos of congressional legislation restricting immigration, are you readers familiar with the mental tests during the war of hundreds of thousands of our soldiers?

"In these, all Northwestern Europe ranked high. England, for example, gave us only 87 lowpowers per 1000 immigrants, with 197 highpowers. The latter fitted by capacity for leadership to be officers. The countries giving the lowest quotas are (1) Poland with 600 lowpowers per thousand and only 5 of the officer class; (2) Italy with 631 lowpowers and mentally deficients, yet only 8 highpowers per thousand.

"If we discharge our responsibility to those whose bloody footprints or Valley Forge snows testified to the sufferings they had to endure to give our citizen of today their legacy of American institutions, if we remember our duty to the generations of Americans yet unborn, should we not, as individual citizens write our Senators and Congressmen, telling that we plead for their votes for the Johnson Restrictive Immigration Bill."

WANTS PARK AT MAMMOTH CAVE

The Courier-Journal, in the following editorial evidently assumes, with the local Kiwanis Club, that the fight for the Lincoln National Park has been lost:

Kentucky, blessed with natural wonders and beauties as is no state between the Alleghenies and the Rockies finds itself fortunate when after the seeming failure of one National Park scheme, it has another in reserve which its people can support just as wholeheartedly, if not even more enthusiastically, than the first.

When the Lincoln Memorial university at Harrogate, Tenn., pledged support toward establishing a National Park at Cumberland Gap by offering to donate 2,000 acres of land it controlled in the vicinity of the pass, it was thought that other property holders would readily fall in line and thus present the Government with that typical section of the Southern Appalachians which the Park Service Director, Mr. Stephen T. Mather, desired to perpetuate in its primitive state. However, other landowners, according to the Middlesboro Three-States, have proved not quite so ready to give up their acreage. Attention, therefore, is readily directed to the Mammoth Cave project.

Representative J. Y. Thomas of Central City is fostering a bill to appropriate $1,000,000 for the conversion of Kentucky's famous underground natural wonder and the forty acres of wooded territory about it into a National Park, and it is reported, a House Committee with the bill in charge, thinks so well of the proposition that it is coming to Kentucky to view the possibilities at first hand.

Mammoth Cave has grown famously in fame ever since Mr. Hyde has chased a bear into it back in 1800. Poor hotel accommodations and discomforts of railroad transportation for years have kept more from coming to view its greatness, and now when the tourist public uses the automobile almost entirely, the shameful condition of Kentucky's main road has let the automobilist, once stung to cry "Never again!" Yet the fact that notwithstanding all impediments thousands continue to come annually to view nature's subterranean grandeur proves that the visitor should be in the hands of those who will preserve it properly for coming generations and provide the conveniences accompanying a

KENTUCKY WEEKLY INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Owensboro — Owensboro Milling company enlarges plant.

Lebanon—Kentucky Utilities company purchases electric and ice properties.

Maysville—1,614,825 pounds non-pooled tobacco sold this season for $970,752.

Louisville—Contract to be let for construction of new $1,500,000 brass foundry and office building for Standard Sanitary Manufacturing company.

Maysville—New hospital to be built.

New cotton mills and extensions completed in 1923 added 484,904 spindles and 14,698 looms to textile plants of the country, principally in the south. North Carolina led the development with 175,228 spindles and 6,534 looms added and South Carolina was second with 167,776 spindles and 5,468 looms.

Kentucky-Tennessee Light & Power company begins operation of electric light plant of Kentucky River Utilities company serving Irvine and Ravenna.

Eubank—New creamery to begin operations March 1.

Ripley—Contract awarded for erection of new church.

565 vessels passed through Panama canal during January, including units of Pacific fleet. Tolls collected from 475 merchantmen amounted to $2,216,855.

Louisville—Erection of cooperatively owned professional building in business section to commence June 1.

Shelbyville—Tobacco sales at Globe House market total 61,895 pounds for one day bringing $14,545.49.

Public Utilities xzfiiif. pedETAO

Public utility plants in this country produced 55,928,000,000 kilowatt hours of electric power during 1923, an advance of approximately seventeen per cent over the output of preceding year, according to announcement by U. S. Geological Survey.

Louisville—Louisville Drying Machinery company, manufacturing evaporating machinery, now serving 50 distinct industries.

Total value of livestock on farms and ranges of United States on January 1 estimated by Department of Agriculture at $4,912,907,000.

Hickman—$450,000 road bond issue voted by majority of five to one.

Railroads of the United States loaded 7,000,000 more cars in 1923 than in 1922 and 4,098,000 more than in 1920, the previous high mark.

Louisville—Over 6,000 citizens of Louisville are shareholders of Louisville Gas and Electric company, big development program outlined by company.

Few people like work because there are so many other things to do.

"Women who bob their hair are not crazy," says a specialist. These specialists will say anything.

The last rose of last summer faded without notice, but the last nose of this winter will be welcome.

Inheritance taxes may be increased, but this will never worry very many of us.

Even though these are ticklish times for the politicians very few of them seem to be tickled.

Belgians have seized $200,000 in gold going to Germany. This is enough gold to fill the teeth of many tourists.

The Eskimos are said to be very happy. Well, they don't have to argue about the weather. They know it will be cold.

THE OPEN FORUM

Editor Daily News: I want to take this way of speaking to my friends in regard to the letter which appeared in this column yesterday, to assure them that the reference of disrespect to the dead was not for me or for my driver. Several have asked me about it and I am deeply grieved to feel that any one should think I was guilty of this.

I have run two busses to Fork Ridge for about two years and during that time I challenge any one to point to any evidence not only of disrespect to the dead but of disrespect to the living. The people who ride on my busses are my friends and I know they will bear me out in this.

I was not at Mrs. Sowders' funeral and I do not know to whom the writer of the letter yesterday was referring. But I do know that it was not to me or to my driver.

—P. D. LEE.

Adventures of The Twins

By Olive Roberts Barton

NO. 11—QUEEN NANCY AND KING NICK

"What do you want?" cried the king shakily.

On went the Twins through the hallway of the palace toward the throne room where sat their majesties, the giant king and queen of Beanstalk Land.

Everywhere the Twins went in their enormous seven-league boots, the same thing happened—servants and courtiers and ladies-in-waiting fled in dismay at their approach. Because the Twins were not to be seen at all and the boots appeared to be walking by themselves.

The cook fled, the pages fled, and the court jester fled, all of his bells jingling like Santa's reindeer on Christmas Eve.

"What is the matter with everybody?" shouted the giant king angrily. "Has everybody gone crazy? Come back here, every one of you, and get to your places at once!"

Just then he spied the empty boots approaching (or at least he thought they were empty) and his knees began to shake, and he shivered all over until his tall crown threatened to roll off his head. And the queen did the same, shivered and shook, until her crown nearly fell off, too.

They would have run away as well as the others, but how could they—with long robes and trains and a few other things that would have tripped a circus actor in two seconds.

"Stop! What do you want?" cried the king shakily.

"Lots of things!" called out Nick as loudly as he could. Of course the king thought it was the boot talking.

"If you will only stop where you are," begged the king, "I will give you whatever you ask."

"So shall I!" declared the queen.

"Then," shouted Nick, "take off your crown and make the Twins king and queen of Beanstalk Land."

"Who?" asked the surprised king.

"The Twins, Nancy and Nick," answered the boot, I mean, answered Nick's voice out of the boot.

"It shall be done at once," declared the king taking off his crown and laying it down.

"Anything you say, good boot!" said the queen taking off her crown, too.

"Now, then," said Nick's voice again, "since you have not been a kind king or queen to the giants in Beanstalk Land, you must obey every command of the new king and queen."

"Yes, yes, yes!" agreed the king and queen quickly. "We will do anything at all. Where are these people?"

"Right here!" shouted Nick, and quick as two little squirrels, Nancy and Nick scrambled out of the seven league boots and hopped up on the throne and sat down.

The real king and queen were too much astonished to speak, for never in their lives had they seen such tiny creatures.

"Put the boots away, please," said King Nick.

"Certainly, sir!" answered the Beanstalk King. "Anything else, sir."

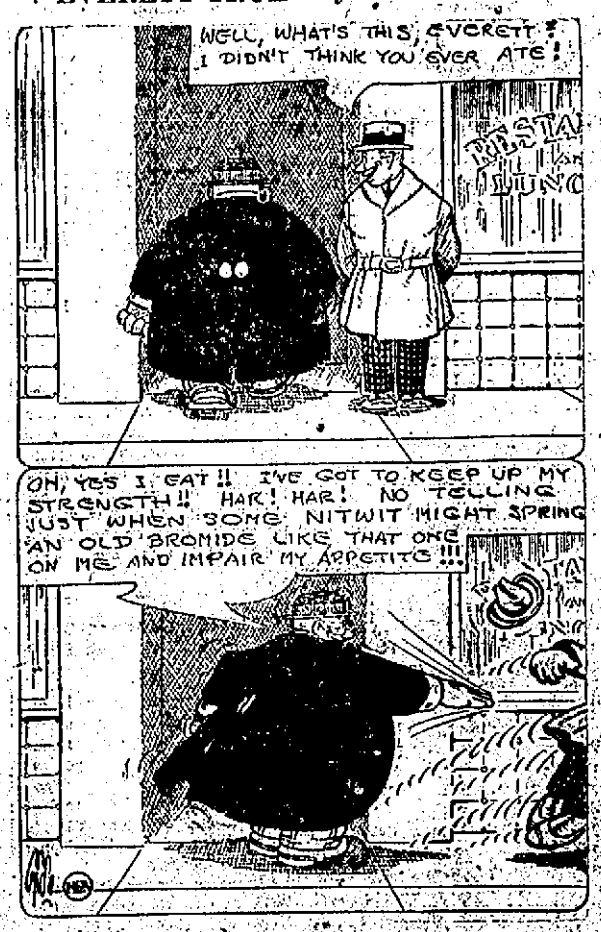
"Yes, put in Nancy. "Bring me a chocolate ice cream soda, with two straws."

"Certainly, ma'am!" said the Beanstalk Queen, and she hurried away to the kitchen.

It was great fun to be king and queen of such a big country.

(To Be Continued.)

EVERETT TRUE—By Condo


WELL, WHAT'S THIS, EVERETT! I DIDN'T THINK YOU EVER ATE!
OH, YES I EAT!! I'VE GOT TO KEEP UP MY STRENGTH!! HAR! HAR! NO TELLING JUST WHEN SOME NITWIT MIGHT SPRING AN OLD BROMIDE LIKE THAT ONE ON ME AND IMPAIR MY APPETITE!!!

BYGONE DAYS-- When No. 4 Came In

NEW YORK MERCANTILE CO.
PALACE FOOD CO.
HE'S BEEN DRINKING AGAIN
HIS POOR WIFE
ONE OF KOMBECK'S HEIFERS TOOK FIRST AT THE STATE FAIR
ANY NEWS?
OVER THERE!
AND HE SAID HED LOAN ME THE $100,000 00 IF I'D TURN OVER THE LEASE ON THAT INDIAN LAND
UNCLE TOM'S CABIN TONIGHT

DAUGHERTY SENDS COOLIDGE NOTE

Nature of Important Message to the President Not Disclosed Today

By Associated Press.

MIAMI, Mar. 3.—Attorney General Daugherty today announced he would send to President Coolidge today a message which may be considered important. He refused to divulge its nature.

Berton Braley's Poem

AVERAGING THEM UP

It's true the histories are filled
With prophets laughed at in their day,
Who, after they were dead—or killed,
Were proven right in every way.
Yet for one true prophetic wight
Ten cranks were jeered at by the throng:
The crowd is generally right,
The prophet, generally wrong.

If every dreamer's dream came true,
If every prophet's words were fact,
The "mob" would take another view
Of what they say and how they act.
But bolshevik and blatherskite
Have proved through many years and long,
The public's generally right
The prophet, generally wrong.

So go ahead and prophesy,
Expound your theory or scheme:
If you're correct—why by and by
It will be better than a dream.
For only time can settle quite
With just which outfit you belong,
With those few prophets who were right
Or the vast number who were wrong.

THIS INCOME TAX PARTY OUGHT TO BE FINE LITTLE PARTY---IF IT COMES

WASHINGTON, Mar. 4.—Before Congress is through with oil, an income tax inquiry probably will be going full blast.

The oil investigation has dealt with the theft of national riches only in prospect—the oil was still in the ground. The income tax probe will reveal the extent to which individuals have been robbed of money already earned.

Income tax publicity hasn't the backing in Congress that oil publicity had.

The Democrats thought oil publicity would hit only the Republicans, so they were for it. When they found some of themselves involved, too, it was too late for them to back out. Both Republicans and Democrats are afraid of income tax publicity, in advance.

But the gossip is too ugly to be ignored long.

For one thing, it's whispered that enormous exemptions have been granted to big taxpayers—exemptions that it's going to be very hard to explain, if ever they have to be explained.

Guesses at the total amount of these exemptions run up into the hundreds of millions.

They're guesses necessarily—because of the treasury's secrecy rule.

If you "put something across" in the way of an income tax return, and can get the treasury officials to agree to it, you don't need to worry about any unpleasant publicity, because it's a secret, by law.

The secrecy rule likewise stands in the way of a congressional investigation. The very fact that the story of some suspicious transaction leaks out proves that somebody has broken the rule, and the penalty for it is a heavy fine and a prison term.

That's why Congressman James A. Frear of Wisconsin fixed the revenue bill to make all income tax information public to everybody—as public as court proceedings or real estate transfers or marriages, births and deaths.

The Old Guard in the House of Representatives didn't dare to kill this clause stone-dead. They amended it, to limit publicity to two or three congressional committees. Nor can these committees pow over treasury records as they please. They must ask for just what they want.

Congress, however, isn't done with the revenue bill yet. The unlimited publicity clause may get back in. If not, there'll have to be a separate campaign. So long as income tax returns and proceedings are veiled in secrecy not much of an investigation will be possible and the demand for one is becoming very urgent.

COMMITTEE TO BUY TRASH CANS FOR USE IN CITY

Negotiations are now being made by a committee of the Merchants' Association with factories which make street waste cans for the purpose of having a number of them made for the city. The idea is to have all the receptables of uniform type and of the most approved pattern.

The organization can buy the cans and pay for them with advertising of local business men. These ads will be made as attractive as possible so that the cans will not be unsightly. About three of them will be placed on each block. The style of receptable favored by the committee is a large square can with a top which automatically closes.

The Color-Blind Clerk

Salesman—Now, here's an overcoat for you, sir. Look at it, feel that material. There's value for your money.

Prospective Purchaser—Yes, but I want a new coat. That happens to be the one I've just taken off.—London Opinion.

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MUST BE A WHALING SHIP

—By Swan

IN THE MIDST OF A TERRIBLE STORM NIGHT DESCENDS UPON THE OCEAN LINER KENTSEEM AND IT'S MUTINY CARGO SAM RESTOKES THAT ONLY 2 DAYS MORE AND HE WILL BE ON DRY LAND IN GLORIOUS ENGLAND READY TO DO HIS DUTIES AT BOOKS FOR GADSBY'S HOSIERY CO.
EVERYBODY ON DECK! WE'VE SPRUNG A LEAK!!
GET SOME OF TH' CREW TO HELP YOU HEAVE OVER THE ANCHOR WHILE WE TRY TO SAVE TH' SHIP
AYE AYE SIR
HEY!!- CUT OUT THAT FOOLISHNESS- WITH DEATH STARING US IN TH' FACE-
HEAVE HO!
THIS IS NO TIME TO FISH

SOCIETY

Items of news and society in your neighborhood will interest other readers. Why not 'phone them in? Call 63.

MARCH

The rustle of rain as it sluices the soil
Ere it sinks to the sources of springs;
The whine of the wind where the naked trees nod
And flap like a thatcher with wings;
The whispers that come from the silences dumb
In the midst of the night when we wake—
The green on the larch from the sap's upward march
And the stir on the half-frozen lake;

The forerunners these of the coming of life
To the earth that has slumbered so long;
The ending of winter with cheerlessness rife,
The return of the birds and their song.
By that thing and by this—by the south zephyr's kiss
And the stirring that follows we know
That March-time is here and is heralding cheer
While the tulips and crocusses blow.

We thought of old March as the knave of the piece;
He is pictured as frowning and cross
But I've found him the time when the winter winds cease
And nobody grieves o'er the loss.
And as often as not he provides us a lot
Of days that are sunny and sweet—
So away with our fear when old March-time is near;
'Tis a friend, not a foe, that we greet.

—Strickland Gillilan

Hotel Dance
Night March 14

The next Hotel Cumberland dance will be held March 14, a week from Friday night. The Royal Troubadors popular dance orchestra from Cincinnati, O., will furnish the music.

Dinner Guests
Last Night

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Maddox had as their dinner guests last night at their home on Greenwood Road, Hugh Richardson, Harry Center and J. E. McShane.

Mrs. R. W. Baker
Hostess To Club

Mrs. R. W. Baker entertained the members of her bridge club with a bridge luncheon today at her home on Arthur Heights.

St. Mary's Guild
Meets Tomorrow

The ladies of St. Mary's Episcopal Church Guild will meet at the church at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. They will spend the time in sewing, after a short business session.

Woman's Auxiliary
Organizes Yesterday

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church voted on circle leaders and secretaries of causes at their meeting yesterday and organized for the work of the coming year. An interesting program was held at the meeting yesterday and a social hour followed the regular business. Mrs. F. D. Hart, Jr., is president of the auxiliary this year, Mrs. J. T. Alderson is vice-president, Mrs. H. H. Overton is secretary and Mrs. Wilbur Hollingsworth is treasurer. The new circle leaders are: Circle No. 1, Mrs. R. E. Douglas; Circle No. 2, Mrs. E. C. Lyons; Circle No. 3, Mrs. Hugh Allen; Circle No. 4, Mrs. Henry Heaton; Circle No. 5, Mrs. W. K. Evans; Business Woman's Circle, Miss Nancy Tully; Shut-in's Circle, Mrs. Alice Rash; High School Girl's Circle, Mrs. George Veal; Junior Circle, Miss Dorothy Sprague.

Secretaires of causes named were: Spiritual development, Mrs. M. S. Callison; Assembly's home missions, Mrs. Don K. Price; S. P. and C. home missions, Mrs. John Bates; foreign missions, Mrs. A. M. Kinnaird; literature, Mrs. H. H. Sprague; Sunday School extension and young people's work, Mrs. Eugene Smith; Christian education and ministerial relief, Mrs. Harry Moss; community service, Mrs. H. E. Motch; social activities, Mrs. H. E. Dinger.

Good Manners
KNOW YOUR PARTNER

The four players at a bridge, or other game table, should always know one another. If there is a stranger at a table she should be introduced.

150,000 New Reds

MOSCOW, March 4.—More than 150,000 applications for membership in the Communist party have been received here in the campaign for 100,000 new members. Party leaders now expect to start a campaign for 1,000,000 new members, admitting only proletarian workmen and peasants.

Sink Big Cofferdam

VALLEJO, Calif., Mar. 4.—The largest cofferdam ever built in America has been sunk as the first step in the under-water construction of the $4,000,000 Carquinez Straits bridge from Vallejo to Calcua. The structure is as large in cubic measurments as a five-story building.

Manring Theatre
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THE FAMOUS STORY OF THE GIMME-GIMME GIRLS

WARNER BROS.

Engaged!

Alice Lake, movie star, admits at Los Angeles that she is engaged to Robert Williams, New York actor. But she won't tell when the ceremony will take place. The date of the wedding, however, is understood to be near.

The Sole Survivors

CHICAGO, Mar. 3.—Knife grinders had a lot of competition in the good old days, 25 years ago. Yet it was a profitable business for many a one. Today only two remain to ply their trade in Chicago's loop district. But there's more than one restaurant and club that saves its cutlery for the old timers to put into condition.

IF MISERY LOVES COMPANY IT'LL PROBABLY SNUGGLE UP CLOSE TO THE GENTS WHO ARE ABOUT TO UNBELT FOR THEIR INCOME TAX

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

A DAILY MENU FOR THE STOUT AND THIN

Lose Weight

One-half grapefruit, 1 cup navy bean soup, combination cabbage salad (1 cup), 1 broiled lamb chop, 2 tablespoons diced carots, 2 tablespoons canned strawberries, 2 small nut cookies, 1 pint buttermilk, 4 thin pieces gluten toast, 1 gluten roll, 1 scant tablespoon butter.

Total calories, 1049. Protein, 206; fat, 300; carbohydrate, 537. Iron, 0212 gram.

Diet Bean Soup

When the beans are thoroughly cooked and tender rub through a puree strainer.

To three-quarter cup bean puree add one-quarter cup boiling water and one teaspoon freshly tried-out bacon fat. Bring to the boiling point and add one teaspoon chili sauce or catsup. Stir well and serve very hot.

As the beans themselves are lacking in fat they will absorb the bacon fat and you need not worry about its adding many ounces to your weight.

The cabbage salad is seasoned with lemon juice and no oil.

The butter is planned for the carrots and the roll.

Gain Weight

One-half grapefruit, 2 slices broiled bacon, 1 fried egg, 1 cup navy bean cream soup, 4 tablespoons creamed salmon on toast, 1 cup combination cabbage, 1 breaded veal cutlet, 2 tablespoons creamed potatoes, 2 tablespoons diced buttered carrots, 1-0 lemon meri[illegible], 1 tablespoon grape preserves, [illegible]ted corn muffins, 2 slices brown bread, 3 tablespoons butter, 1 tablespoon sugar, 4 tablespoons cream dressing for cabbage, 2 Parker House rolls, 1 pint whole milk, 2 tablespoons canned strawberries, 4 small nut cookies.

Total calories, 3521. Protein, 418; fat, 1514; carbohydrate, 1589. Iron, .0183 gram.

Since lamb is usually higher in price than veal, if economy is any object it's well worth while serving the family with the cheaper meat which is considered a "fat producing" viand.

If the egg is carefully fried it is not as indigestible as we have learned to believe it. When the fat is hot carefully slip the egg into the spider, reduce the heat and cover. The steam helps cook the egg and makes it the delectable pink over the yolk.

The sugar is planned for the grapefruit and the preserves to accompany the toasted muffins.

He's Persistent

CHICAGO, Mar. 4.—Alvin Washington Van Dorston, a violin maker, has announced himself for the eighth time a candidate for the United States presidency. He plays no political favorites, as his announcement submits his name to both major parties.

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Latest Spring Styles

Tomorrow Evening

Wednesday, 7 o'clock, Mar. 5

MANRING THEATRE

Live Models

Through the kindness of Mr. Brown, manager of the Manring Theatre, we have been able to arrange a display of new and popular Spring Models. This will be in connection with the picture, "Dancer of the Nile."

This prelude to our annual spring opening is given for the first time in the history of our store expressly for you women who want to see the newest models worn by live models before you make your selections.

SPRING OPENING

Thursday, March 6

At this time our store will be attractively and appropriately decorated for the occasion. All our new shipments for Spring, including the models worn at the Manring Theatre Wednesday evening, will be on display.

You Are Cordially Invited

RADIO PROGRAM TO BE BROADCAST IN U. S. TOMORROW

Associated Press

CHICAGO, Mar. 4.—Program to be broadcast Wednesday, March 5: (central standard time)

(By Courtesy of Radio Digest)

KDKA, Pittsburgh (326) 5:30 p. m., children's period; 7, address; 7:15, talk; 7:30, concert.

KFKX, Hastings (341) rebroadcasts program of KDKA.

KHJ, Los Angeles (395) 8:45, children's program; 10, musical program.

KPO, San Francisco (423) 9 p. m., orchestra; 10, band and musical program.

KSD, St. Louis Post-Dispatch (546) 7 p. m., concert; 9, old fashioned country dance; 11, dance music.

KYW, Chicago (536) 6:50 p. m., bedtime story; 7, dinner concert; 8, musical program; 10, midnight revue.

WBAP, Fort Worth Star-Telegram (476) 7:30, orchestra; 9:30, concert.

WCAE, Pittsburgh (462) 5:30 dinner concert; 6:30, the Sunshine Girl; 7:30 musical program.

WDAF, Kansas City Star (411) 6 p. m., school of the air; 8, classical concert; 11:45, Nighthawks.

WDAP, Chicago (360) 7 p. m., dinner music; 10, musical.

WDAR, Philadelphia (395) 6:30 p. m., music; 9:02, dance music.

WEAF, New York (492) 6:30 p. m., Sport talk; 7, talk; 7:20, music; 9:15, orchestra.

WFI, Philadelphia (395) 5 p. m., talk; 5:30, music.

WGR, Buffalo (319) 5:30 p. m., dinner music; 6:30, News reports; 8, concert.

WGY, Schenectady (380) 5:30 p. m. adventure story.

WHA Madison (360) 7:30 talk.

WHAS, Louisville (400) 7:30 p. m., concert and orchestra music.

WHK Cleveland (258) 5 p. m., music.

WTAM, Cleveland (390) 7 p. m., concert program.

WIP, Philadelphia (509) 5:05 p. m. music; 6, talk.

WJAZ, Chicago (448 10 p. m., musical program.

WJZ, New York (455) 6:30 p. m., dance program; 6:45, p. m., talk; 7, dance program; 7:30, talk; 9, piano solos; 9:30, orchestra.

WLAG, Minneapolis-St. Paul (417) 7:30 p. m., farm lectures; 9:15, business message; 9:30, musical program.

WLW, Cincinnati (309) 8 p. m., concert.

WMAQ, Chicago News (447.5) 7, children's story; 7:30, weekly lecture; 8, talk; 8:40, orchestra; 9, talks.

WOC, Davenport (484) 6:30 p. m., Sandman's visit; 7, lecture; 8, musical program.

WOO, Philadelphia (509) 6:30 p. m., dance music; 7:15, concert; 7:45, music; 9:10, dance music.

WOR, Newark (405) 5:15 p. m., orchestra; 7, talk; 7:15, quartet; 7:30, talk; 8, quartet; 9, Serenaders.

WOS, Jefferson City (440.9) 8 p. m., address; 8:20, talks; 8:30, old time tunes.

WWJ, Detroit News (580) 6:30 p. m., orchestra.

ELECTRIC AND PHONE POLES NOT FOR USE RADIO AERIALS

Electric light and telephone poles make excellent supports for radio aerials, though they may not be legally used as such. Executives of the Cumberland telephone company and the Kentucky Utilities company say that they will remove all such wires fastened to their poles.

There is always a danger that the radio wires will come in contact with the current and go direct into the radio set. The public utilities companies been made defendants in law suits in other places from circumstances growing out of the attachment of erials to their poles.

The local companies are trying to discourage the practice of fastening the outside radio wires to such poles and all such that are found will be immediately removed.

Radio Bride

The minister had just arrived and the bride's father tuned in on the wedding march a Cleveland broadcasting station was sending out. Then the nuptial knot was tied for Warren L. Ensign and wife. But when the bride was about to say she would obey, the static overwhelmed her reply. So maybe she'll be boss of the Ensign household afterall.

Farmers' Friends

These senators called on President Coolidge to urge a more liberal policy by the War Finance Corporation toward small country banks; Left to right: Senator Magnus Johnson, Lynn J. Frazier, McNary Shipstead and Capper

Relatives and Friends Plentiful For Heirs to Large Estates

The newly rich not only acquire many friends but also relatives, kinsmen whose claim to a share in the fortune could be something more substantial than vague and imaginary former good deeds. Clarence Brummett, inmate of a Washington asylum, who was thought to be without relatives, has two cousins in Knoxville, according to letters received by Gibson Bros. a firm which has a bill for funeral services against the estate.

"I am sorry to hear that Clarence is in the asylum," writes "J. B. Brummett" of Knoxville. "You see me and Clarence was cousins and growed up together." The writer ended by saying that if there was anything in the estate for him, he felt sure Mr. Gibson would help him to get it.

The Halston Manufacturing company has written to "Gibson Bros., Attorneys-at-Law," stating that there is a man in their employ named John Brummett who claims to be a cousin of Clarence Brummett. "Though not primarily interested in the estate," the writer states that John Brummett wants his share of the sick man's estate in case he is entitled to it.

The matter of appointing a guardian for the patient has not yet been attended to and full investigations concerning the value of the estate will not be made until this is done. Bills against the estate will also remain unpaid until a guardian is appointed.

Clarence Brummett, according to a letter from an attending physician, claims the estate consists of rich oil lands and that it is worth at least $300,000. Other than this, no information has been obtained regarding the value or extent of the property which the death of young Brummett's mother made him heir to.

RABBIT KEEPS AHEAD CAR GOING THIRTY MILES HOUR

"I had an interesting race with a jack rabbit not long ago," says A. G. Zeller, president of the Michigan State Automobile School, Detroit.

"We were driving at night along the highway out west of Jackson. Suddenly a big jack rabbit jumped out of the bushes and streaked it down the road ahead of us keeping full in the glare of the headlights.

"Being curious to know just how fast he could run I increased the speed to well over thirty miles an hour without being able to gain an inch on him.

"Sharp turns in the highway prevented increasing the pace any more and before we got on the straight road again he had disappeared into the bushes. However we had Mr. Rabbit doing better than thirty and seeming to like it."

Barbourville Attorneys Visit

HARLAN, Mar. 4.—Thomas D. Tinsley of Barbourville and Thomas B. Snead, attorneys, are here on business.

Russia Has 'Em

MOSCOW, Mar. 4.—Although wine and beer were freely sold during the three months' antibootlegging campaign in Russia, 20,000 illicit stills were confiscated. Proceedings were also started in more than 40,000 cases.

This Is No Bull

MILWAUKEE, Mar. 4.—While aiding a newly born calf to drink by giving the animal his finger to suck, Walter Tucker dislocated his shoulder when the calf gave a sudden jerk, tossing the pail out of its stall.

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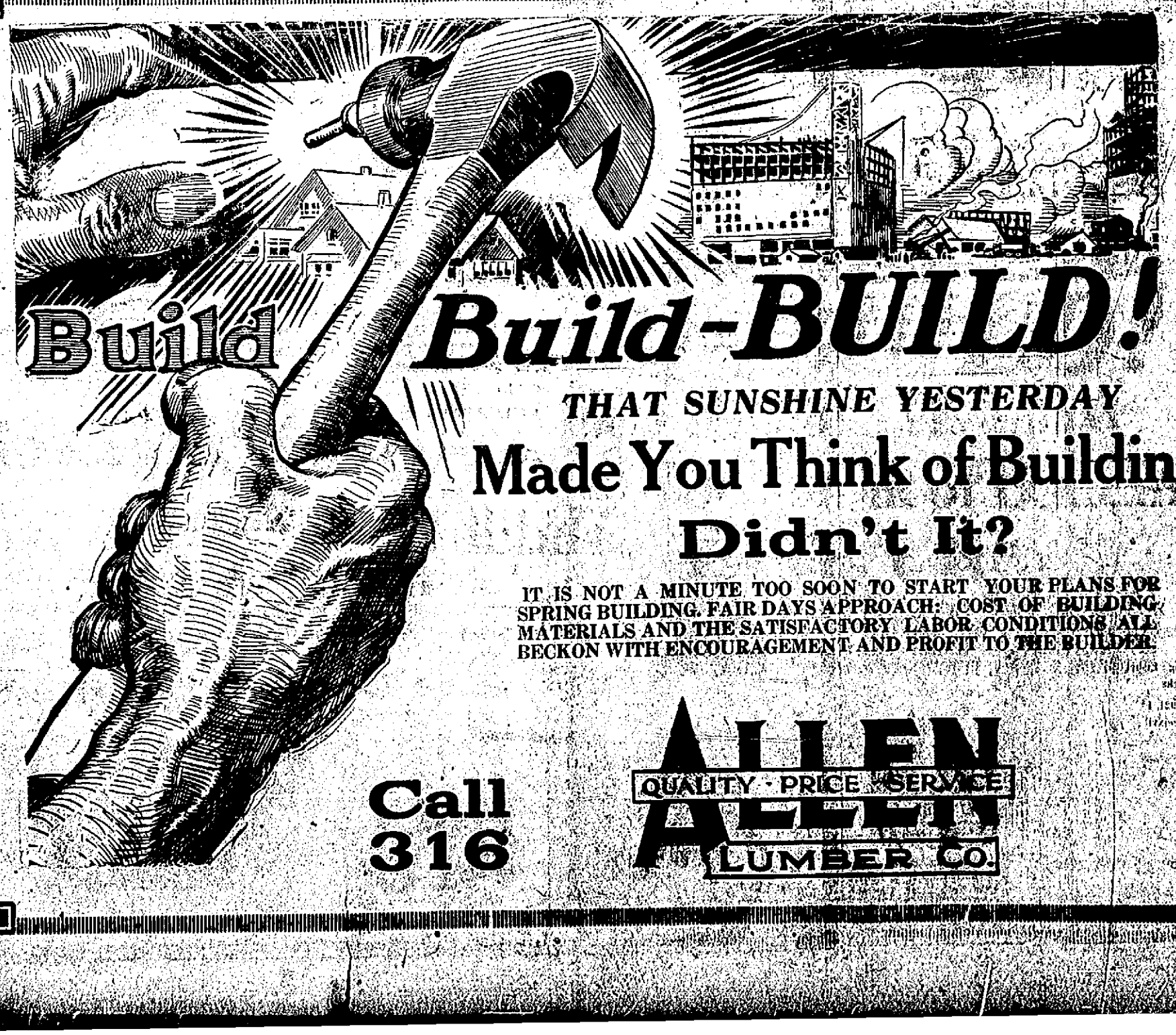
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ROSE HILL NOTES

Miss Isabella Duncan left Monday night for her home in Burlington, Ky., called by the sudden illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Fugate were delighted over the arrival of a ten pound son on March 2.

Mrs. M. H. Thompson and the little daughter of Mrs. Evelyn Bales are numbered on the sick list.

M. B. Jennings went home Friday night to see his brother who has been very sick.

Dr. G. C. Sumpter has moved into his new home although it is not finished yet.

Miss Barnes Gibson of Gibson Station was the guest of Mrs. Kittie Pierce Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Banner has returned here to live after spending the winter months at Big Stone Gap.

Warren M. Rowlett of Corbin was a business caller here Monday.

Misses Hattie, Mary Florence and Lizzie McLin were transacting business in Middlesboro Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Legg are making preparations to move to Leesburg, Va., in a short time.

STONY FORK

John Killian and Lincoln Meyers were visiting at Yellow Creek yesterday afternoon.

Riley Trosper and Fred Massengill were visiting Columbia camps yesterday.

Jess Killian and Vernon Pettipeace are visiting at Bacchus where their aunt is very ill.

Miss Lunette Wagner and Miss Julia Killian have been visiting at Rose Hill, Va. during the past week.

Lincoln Myers is planning a trip to Washington college next month.

Miss Julia Killian and Miss Lunette Wagner are planning a trip to Knoxville.

Vilbert Gilbert has returned home from a visit in Virginia.

Walter Massengill and family visited in Middlesboro yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Manus were shopping in Middlesboro yesterday.

Elmer Tennyson was visiting in Middlesboro Saturday.

Cinda Killian was shopping in town Saturday.

Joe Peeler has returned to work on the L. and N. road. He has been off for two weeks.

Charlie Vester Meyers and son, Earl, were in Arthur, Tenn. Sunday.

BOYS CAUGHT TRYING TO ENTER HARLAN BARGAIN STORE

HARLAN, Mar. 4.—Two boys, one about 12 years of age and the other about three years older, were caught by police officers, trying to enter the Harlan Bargain store on Main street, through a rear window Sunday night. A few days ago this store was robbed but no one was suspected. The boys are being held for further disposition to be made in their case.

POOR FORK IN BUILDING BOOM

Street Paving, New Buildings, All a Part of Improvement There

An ordinance calling for the resurfacing of Main street in Poor Fork from the lower end, to Nick Dunn's garage, has received its first reading and passage by the Board of Trustees of the town, and its final passage awaits the bringing into the corporation of that section of town opposite the depot.

Under the proposed ordinance the resurfacing will extend a distance of 2,500 feet. At present Main street is but about 1,000 feet in length, but the addition of that section opposite the depot will add about 1,500 feet to the one street.

Poor Fork citizens are enthusiastic over the prospects of having a concrete or asphalt street, residents of other sections of town having been heard to voice the wish for more and better streets throughout the entire town.

To those interested in the development of the town, the policy of street building is in keeping with the extensive building program in order to maintain the appearance of progressiveness in every detail that the new buildings being erected have inaugurated.

Contracts are to be let within thirty days for the street improvements, according to F. C. Isaacs, clerk of the Board of Trustees, the actual work to begin in the early spring. Abutting property owners will bear the cost of construction, the town paying for street intersections, under the ordinance passed recently.—Harlan Daily American.

CAN'T ESCAPE JAIL SENTENCE BY ENLISTMENT

City prisoners cannot escape jail sentences or liquor cases, even to enter the service of Uncle Sam.

The question was brought up this week when a man who had been given the regulation thirty days was suddenly seized with a desire to "travel and see the world" in the United States army. Judge C. A. Woods would not remove the sentence.

"I have no authority to release prisoners who have been sentenced for any offense," the city judge stated. "The man must serve his thirty days; after that, he may enlist in the army if he chooses."

Poultry Farm Business Active

Preparations are being made for a big business at the Sunnycrest Poultry farm this spring. Two electric incubators have been installed recently and the number of fowls is being increased from time to time. Four additional cockerels will be received this week. The management is planning to launch a campaign to sell eggs for spring hatching.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE—By Ahern

SPECIAL DELIVERY REGISTERED LETTER FOR MAJOR A. HOOPLE! — SIGN ON TH' DOTTED LINE, AN' DON'T PUT ALL YOUR WEIGHT ON THIS PENCIL POINT, BIG BOY!
NOT SO LOUD, AMBROSE — YOU AIN'T HOME YELLING FOR SUPPER! — WHO'S THIS FOR — MAJOR HOOPLE? — WELL HE'S OUT, BUT I'LL LAY MY SIG ON IT FOR HIM!
GAY BUD! — DID YOU RUN YOUR MOTORCYCLE UP ON TH' PORCH, OR WAS THAT JUST YOU TIP-TOEING UP TH' STEPS? YOU SURE GAVE TH' DOOR BELL A FIGHT — YOU JABBED IT LIKE IT WAS A GUMSLOT AN' NOTHING CAME OUT!
A LETTER OF MYSTERY FOR THE MAJOR

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OUT OUR WAY—by Williams

GOSH, BUT CAN'T WAIT 'TIL HE GETS US TO SOMEONE ELSE'S HOUSE
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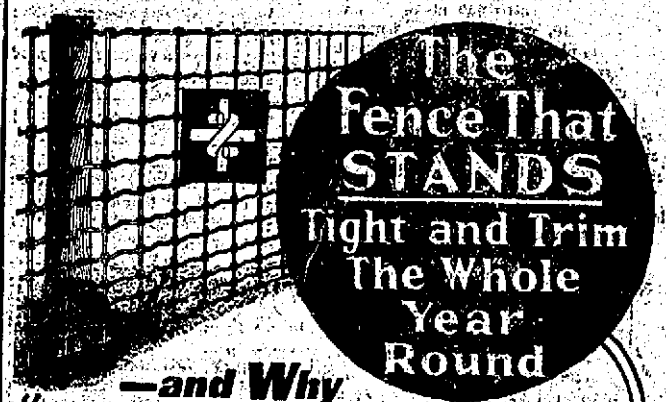

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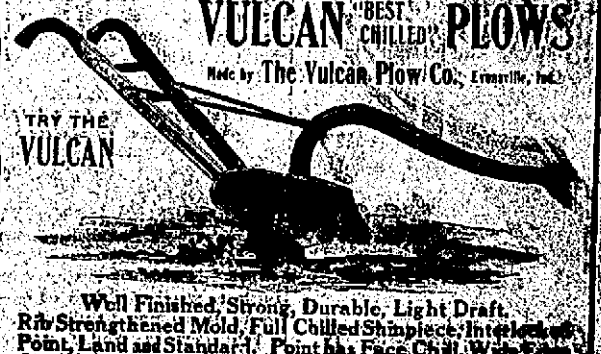

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—BY BLOSSER

LET'S SEE — I THINK I HAVE A LETTER FOR MASTER FRECKLES McGOOSEY SOMEWHERE HERE
WHY, IT'S FROM WILLIE — THAT'S HIS WRITIN' ANYWAY
Dear Freckles Tell me when your birthday comes for I want to send you a present
THEY'S SOME MORE AT TH' BOTTOM, FRECKLES
P. S. my birthday is next Monday

LOCALS

R. W. Pettigrew of Corbin visited friends here Sunday.

Magistrate J. M. Creech of Pineville was in Middlesboro yesterday.

I. H. Goelman left Sunday for Cincinnati in the interest of the Effron-Goelman stores.

Just Received: Fresh Whitman's at Shelburne's.

Mrs. Max Stern is visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Nuss, in Knoxville.

Max Friedman and E. M. Tupper of Coeburn, Va. are visiting friends in Middlesboro.

Harry Durick of Appalachia was visiting friends in Middlesboro Sunday.

Sol Garber of Pineville was here Sunday.

C. F. Fogle of Corbin was in town yesterday.

Your Sweet tooth? Says Whitman's; Your Wisdom tooth Says Shelburne's.

Frank Baker of Lynch was in town on business yesterday.

N. B. Sergent of Harlan was a visitor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Davidson of Huntington, W. Va., have moved to Middlesboro and are making their home at the Hotel Cumberland until they can find a house later in the spring. Mr. Davidson has coal interests in this section. They spent several weeks here in January and made many friends.

Headley Card of Pineville was here yesterday.

Mrs. Boyd Rice of Pineville was here yesterday, the guest of Mrs. Harry Smith.

Winter's on the wane, the bird is on the wing and Whitman's has just arrived at Shelburne's.

The framework of the new two-story apartment house which R. L. Maddox is building on Greenwood Road is nearly completed.

G. A. Peyton of Shawanee was in town yesterday.

Born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. George H. Talbott, a son, George Henry Talbott, Jr.

A son was born this morning to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gastineau at the Brosheer-Brunnett hospital.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchial, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin affections; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

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ADD WAGON DELIVERY FOR PARCEL POST HERE

A wagon delivery service for parcel post packages too heavy for carriers has been added to the postoffice and began operation yesterday.

The wagon service will extend into all the residential districts now covered by the carriers. It will be a boon to patrons who heretofore have had to call for the large and heavy packages at the postoffice.

The additional service comes as a result of efforts inaugurated some time ago for a route extension and other additions made necessary by the increase in volume of postal business during recent years. Two hours auxillary service each day have also been granted and chances that route extension and an extra carrier will be allowed are regarded as favorable.

I. O. O. F. HAS 5 MORE FOR BIG INITIATION

Charles King received the attendance prize at the Oddfellows' meeting last night. The prize, an electric desk lamp, was donated by W. B. Jones.

Five more applications for the big initiation were accepted and the candidates will be notified to be present next Monday night when a large class will receive the degree.

The degree team has received an invitation to come to Wallins next Saturday night to conduct the initiatory ceremonies for a class of 30. Present plans are to accept the invitation and return to Middlesboro Sunday morning.

POWELL VALLEY

Hubert Snoderly was in Middlesboro Friday.

Mrs. J. R. Kivett and Mrs. W. F. Rogers were in LaFollette shopping one day last week.

Clay Alder closed a very successful term of school Friday at Cawood where he has taught the past year.

The Powell's Valley basketball girls and boys attended the basketball tournament at LaFollette this week.

Miss Blanche Rogers was the week-end guest of her cousin, Miss Roberta Kivett.

Miss Ina Rogers, Miss Jo. Lee and Prof. Wallace were in Knoxville last week.

Laudie McHenry of Knoxville visited relatives and friends at Speedwell last week.

Clay Alder and Kelley Rogers were guests of Misses Juanita and Roberta Kivett at Speedwell Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kivett were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. John Ausmus Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Monday have moved to Iowa to make their home.

Mrs. M. B. Kelley is visiting friends in Corbin, Ky.

Elizabeth Farris was in Middlesboro Thursday.

Hubert Snoderly was the guest of Thomas Gibson one night last week.

Miss Helen Bruce visited over the week-end with Miss Roberta Kivett.

The Speedwell basketball team and Powell's Valley second team played a very interesting ball game Thursday, the score being 16 to 6 in favor of the Powell's Valley boys.

Jess Ausmus is very ill of typhoid fever at his home near Speedwell.

Little James Conley Rogers, Jr., of Corbin, Ky., has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rogers at Speedwell.

Dr. J. C. Ausmus has been called to his father's home on account of the illness of his brother.

However, comma—

NEW YORK, March 4.—The pace of our national life has slackened. The songs we sing indicate that. The war had its popular songs with marching tempo. Then came a lot of jerky convulsive tunes that reflected the state of our feelings. Then a lot of stuff of frothy, nonsensical twists to words and music; such as "Yes, We Have No Bananas" and "Barney Google."

I have just come from the annual frolic of the songwriters, where songs are well played and sung for the first time. There is a decided change in sentiment in the songs which will sway multitudes the coming year. We are returning to the fad for ballads.

The most musical of all selections at the frolic was Irving Berlin's "What'll I Do?" The sentiment of the thing has to do with the fortunes of one who is faced with the loss of a loved one.

Berlin also has a new one called "Lazy." It seems to have been inspired by a hound dog puppy asleep in the sun. Percy Weinrich who has written as many song hits as the next one, contributed "Lindy Lady" to the program. The air and sentiment is based on the old "Lindy, Lindy, Sweet as Sugar Cane" refrain when every college quartet sings.

Al Jolson's two latest are by Abner Silver. They are "California, Here I Come" and "I'm Going South." They follow the usual construction of Jolson songs and seem to have been written especially for his interpretation.

Berlin sang his own songs. He has a very thin voice which occasionally breaks on a high note. However, he sang with a certain vitality which is due to the fact that they were his own songs and that they probably reflect much of his own feelings.

'SHUFFLE ALONG" TO PLAY AT MANRING MONDAY NIGHT

"Shuffle Along" which comes to the Manring theatre one night, Monday, March 10, will offer an opportunity to the play goers to see and hear this negro entertainment of which so much has been written about.

"Shuffle Along" created a real sensation in New York playing over one hundred weeks at one theatre, and it will come to the Manring with the full knowledge of the theare-goers that it should prove one of the most unique entertainments since the days of Williams and Walker.

There is a story to the piece that has to do with two colored keepers of a grocery store in a small Southern town, and who are rival candidates for Mayor. This sounds like the old favorite "Running for Office" which in the old days, never failed to stir up laughs a plenty.

The company is a large one including some sixty people, and are on a world tour. The cast is headed by Bill Dewey and Edgar Connors, two well and favorably known comedians, while the prima donna roles are in the hands of Emma Jackson, assisted by the colored "Valentino" Theo. McDonald a baritone of more than ordinary ability. The organization also carries its own orchestra of ten men, while the scenic environment is large and at times spectacular in effect.

The chorus is from the original production and is said to be the most inviting group of high yellow steppers ever seen in a musical comedy, their work individually and collectively being of that strenuous and furious nature that made the New Yorker awake from his stupor.

SWEEPING CUT IN WAGES ELKHORN FIELD MINERS

WHITESBURG, Mar. 4.—There have been sweeping reductions in the wages of coal miners and other employes of coal operating concerns in the main Elkhorn coal fields of this county, where thousands of men are affected.

The bulk of the big plans include the Consolidation Coal company and the Elkhorn Coal Corporation, with mines at Jenkins, Burdine and Dunham, on Elkhorn Creek, and at Fleming, Haymond and Hemphill on Boone Fork.

The cut comes at a time when it is absolutely necessary in order to continue to operate owing to the low price of coal. It is said that the cut equals about 20 per cent and it means from $1 to $2 a day less than the miners and others have been earning for some time.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE:—Buff Rock eggs, $1.50 and $2 per setting. Wm. Breitenbach 109 Dalewood Road. Phone 119-J. 3-4

FOR RENT:—One large furnished room suitable for man and wife or two gentlemen; use of bathroom and telephone, steam heat and electric lights.—Mrs. W. C. Pearman. 3-5

WANTED— Furnished room in quiet family by two gentlemen. Box 395, Harlan, Ky. 3-5-pd.

FOR SALE:—Cheap, 15 barrels lime suitable for mortar; 200 lbs. reinforcing bars for concrete work.—Brosheer Brunnett Hospital. tf

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage at Harrogate. Near station. Very desirable location. Small family only desired. Mrs. Robert L. Kincaid, Harrogate, Tenn. 3-8-pd.

FOUND:—Gold scarf pin, set with diamonds. Inquire Daily News office. 3-4

FOR SALE:—Two story frame business building 21x40; rents for $65.00 per month; lot 25x100, located on main street at Wallins, Ky. For particulars see E. B. Engle at Western Union office, Middlesboro, Ky. 3-7

FOR RENT:—Garage. Call 110. tf

WANTED:—Salesman for Middlesboro and district to represent Knoxville's foremost Monument House, Wake Monument Co., 403 N. Gay St., Knoxville, Tenn. 3-4

FOR RENT:—2 modern rooms over Enster Bros. Store.—Apply Enster Bros. tf

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The success of our city depends upon our prosperity and our prosperity is guaged by the financial showing of our local banks, and the success of our business concerns, and our business concerns are dependent upon our citizens for success. There is not a citizen—when away from home—who does not boost for "my home town," but do they do it here? The dollars spent with the home merchant are the dollars that help build up a community. The merchant in the big city pays nothing towards the support of the school in which your children are educated. In fact, the dollar sent to the merchant in the big city is gone forever so far as any good to your community is concerned. Is it fair to deprive the home merchant of your trade and thus deprive the community of the benefits to be derived from keeping this money at home? Civic pride is a virtue to which that citizen cannot rightfully lay claim who makes a practice of sending away from home for his purchases.

Did you ever stop to try to figure out what would be best for your home town, either commercially, industrially, or socially; entirely regardless of your own personal interest?

When your home town is working on some needed reform or improvement, do you ever offer your services —not your moral support, only; as a rule this kind of help is pretty weak stuff.

You have heard the expression "That town was man made." That means the citizens of that town have stuck together; have pinned their faith in and been loyal at every turn with their energy and money, and made a town where business is good.

If you have never felt the joy of doing something worth-while, accomplished something that is of benefit to your fellowmen, do it in 1924.

SAY THIS TO YOURSELF—I believe in My Town, I believe in the goods sold in My Town, and I'll buy them. Because I can get value received. Because if I sell my goods here I ought to buy here. Because the man I buy from pays his part of town, county, and state taxes. Because every dollar I spend at home gives me another chance at that dollar. Because the community which is good enough for me to live in is good enough for me to buy in. Because every dollar I spend at home stays at home and makes more money for the community in which I live.

If you patronize your home merchants you will make a Bigger, Better, Busier community in which to live. While the value of your property is bound to increase in a corresponding ratio to the growth of our city and natural increase of business, which must necessarily follow. Remember, we are all on the home team. So Trade At Home.

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